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SUBJ: RWANDA STUDENTS IN U.S.

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1. EMBASSY JUDGES THAT STEPS NEW GOR HAS TAKEN IN DIRECTION OF NATIONAL CONCILIATION (INCLUDING NAMING OF ONE TUTSI MINISTER) HAS IMPROVED SHORT-TERM PROSPECTS FOR TUTSIS. AT PRESENT THERE DOES NOT REPEAT NOT APPEAR TO BE PHYSICAL DANGER TO RETURNING TUTSIS. JOB PROSPECTS MORE DIFFICULT TO DETERMINE, BUT WE NOTE THERE HAS BEEN NO RPT NO RENEWAL OF DRIVE TO ELIMINATE TUTSIS FROM EMPLOYMENT. OFFICIAL LINE IS THAT EMPLOYMENT SHOULD REFLECT ETHNIC MAKEUP OF COUNTRY. HOW THIS WILL WORK OUT IN PRACTICE REMAINS TO BE SEEN. ONE POSSIBILITY WE PLAN TO EXPLORE IS USING TEFL RETURNEES (BOTH HUTU AND TUTSI) TO STAFF ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING PROGRAM AT UNIVERSITY AT BUTARE (SEPTTEL).

2. EMBASSY'S RECOMMENDATIONS RE USE OF FY 74 ALLOCATION (SEPTTEL), IF ACCEPTED, WOULD SETTLE PROBLEM OF FUNDING PRESENT TEFL STUDENTS. OUR PREFERENCE FOR FUTURE WOULD BE TO USE FUNDS FOR TESL CERTIFICATE ONLY, ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT RETURNEES TO RWANDA WOULD BE CAPABLE OF HANDLING PRACTICAL BASIC TEACHING NOW NEEDED. WE RECOGNIZE GOR MAY TRY TO PRESSURE US INTO EXTENDING STUDENTS TO TAKE MA. IN PARTICULAR

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CASES OF OUTSTANDING STUDENTS WE MIGHT CONSIDER THIS

POSSIBILITY. WE WOULD BE STRONGLY OPPOSED TO  
DOCORATES IN FORESEEABLE FUTURE.  
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